

**AMENDMENTS IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend paragraphs [0066], [0071], [0074], [0077] and [0079] in the Specification as follows:

**[0066]** The fourth preload application construction for the double row ball bearing may be utilized with ball bearings shown in Figures 17 ~~and 18~~, and for a bearing constructed in this way, it is possible to achieve the same results as achieved in the first embodiment. Double-row bearings shown in Figures 17 ~~and 18~~ are particularly suitable for use with the fourth preload application construction because the axle on which inner ring is mounted, is a straight axle, whose equal diameter extends the entire length of the bearing.

**[0071]** The fifth preload application construction for the double row ball bearing may be utilized with ball bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19, and for a bearing constructed in this way, it is possible to achieve the same results as achieved in the first embodiment. Double-row bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19 are particularly suitable for use with the fifth preload application construction because sleeve 2 has a stepped construction and includes the inner elongated portion 2a having an inner diameter larger than that of the rest of sleeve 2.

**[0074]** The sixth preload application construction for the double row ball bearing may be utilized with ball bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19, and for a bearing constructed in this way, it is possible to achieve the same results as achieved in the fifth embodiment. Double-row bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19 are particularly suitable for use with the sixth preload application construction because sleeve 2 has a stepped construction and

includes the inner elongated portion 2a having an inner diameter larger than that of the rest of sleeve 2.

[0077] The seventh preload application construction for the double row ball bearing may be utilized with ball bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19, and for a bearing constructed in this way, it is possible to achieve the same results as achieved in the fifth embodiment. Double-row bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19 are particularly suitable for use with the seventh preload application construction because sleeve 2 has a stepped construction and includes the inner elongated portion 2a having an inner diameter larger than that of the rest of sleeve 2.

[0079] The eighth preload application construction for the double row ball bearing may be utilized with ball bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19, and for a bearing constructed in this way, it is possible to achieve the same results as achieved in the fifth embodiment. Double-row bearings shown in Figures ~~20 and 21~~ 16 and 19 are particularly suitable for use with the eighth preload application construction because sleeve 2 has a stepped construction and includes the inner elongated portion 2a having an inner diameter larger than that of the rest of sleeve 2.